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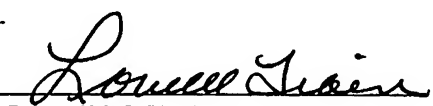
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This is a Continuation Application for Patent under 37 CFR 1.53(b) of the prior application:

Serial No.: 10/091,063
Filed on: March 4, 2002
Entitled: Improved Electrode
Inventor(s): Gamdur Singh Mann

1. Enclosed is the specification with claims, drawing(s), and signed declaration (which may be a copy of the papers filed in the prior application).
2. Amend the specification by inserting the following paragraph before the first line: "This is a continuation of application Serial No. 10/091,063 filed on March 4, 2002."
3. Amendments.
XX Cancel claim three (3) before calculating the filing fee. (At least one original independent claim must be retained for filing purposes.)
XX A preliminary amendment is enclosed, and includes therein authorization for fees for any additional claims presented therein.
4. The filing fee is calculated on the basis of the number of claims in the enclosed specification less the number of claims canceled herewith:

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Number of claims in excess of 20, times \$50.00	\$ 0.00
Multiple dependent claim, add \$360.00	\$ 0.00
Total Filing Fee.....	\$ 1000.00

5. Applicant hereby petitions under 37 CFR1.136(a) for a three-month extension of time in parent application serial number 10/091,063.
6. Applicant encloses a check in the amount of \$2020 to pay the \$1,000 filing fee and \$1020 Extension of Time fee. Please charge any additional fees to deposit account 50-0831, Delphi Technologies, Inc.
7. The prior application is assigned to Delphi Technologies, Inc. The assignment is recorded in reel 012680, frame 2002.
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